(ख) इस बैठक में विश्व हिन्दी विद्यापीठ को स्थापित करने, राजभाषा विभाग को सुदृढ़ करने, हिन्दी पढ़ने वाले छात्रों के लिए छात्रवृत्तियों की संख्या बढ़ाने, गैर-हिन्दी भाषी क्षेत्रों मे हिन्दी प्रचार-प्रसार के लिए स्वैच्छिक हिन्दी संस्थाओं को अधिक अनुदान उपलब्ध कराने, इत्यादि विषयों पर विचार-विमर्श हुआ और तत्संबंधी निर्णय लिए गए।

(ग) सरकारी कर्मचारियों को हिन्दी भाषा, हिन्दी आशुलिपि, हिन्दी टंकण व अनुवाद का प्रशिक्षण देकर विभिन्न प्रकार की प्रोत्साहन योजनाएं चलाकर, विभिन्न स्तरों पर बनाई गई समितियों के कार्यकलापों के द्वारा, कार्यालयों का निरीक्षण करके, विभिन्न पत्र-पत्रिकाओं तथा राजभाषा के नियमों/आदेशों का प्रकाशन आदि करके राजाभाषा हिन्दी के प्रयोग को प्रेरणा एवं प्रोत्साहन से बढ़ाया जा रहा है।

Construction of Second Storeys of Shops on Janpath

6217. SHRI O. P. KOHLI: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the New Delhi Municipal Council had permitted the temporary shops on Janpath, New Delhi, to raise second storeys in violation of the Master Plan of Delhi-2000 and without getting the project cleared from Delhi Urban Arts Commission (DUAC); and

(b) if so, the details thereof and the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI P. M. SAYEED): (a) and (b) The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.

Proposal to set up Maritime Board in Tamil Nadu

6218. SHRI S. MUTHU MANI: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Ministry has received any proposal from the Tamil Nadu Government to set up Maritime Board in Tamil Nadud;

(b) if so, whether the Ministry has conveyed its approval to the Government of Tamil Nadu;

(c) if not, why and when the Ministry is likely to pass on its consent to the Tamil Nadu Government?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI P. M. SAYEED): (a) to (c) The Tamil Nadu Maritime Board Bill, 1994 was received on 11.8.1994 for administrative approval of the Government of India. Administrative approval of the Government of India has been conveyed to the State Government of Tamil Nadu on 8.5.1995.

बिहार में हत्याएं

6219. **श्री शंकर दयाल सिंह:** क्या गृह मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि:

(क) बिहार में हाल ही में राष्ट्रपति शासन के दौरान राज्य के विभिन्न भागों में कितनी हत्याएं हुई;

(ख) उन मामलों के संदर्भ में कितने व्यक्तियों को गिरफ्तार किया गया है; और

(ग) क्या मृतकों के आश्रितों को कोई मुआवजा दिया गया था; यदि हां, तो तत्संबंधी ब्यौरा क्या है?

गृह मंत्रालय में राज्य मंत्री (श्री पी० एम० सईद): (क) से (ग) सूचना एकत्र की जा रही है और सदन के पटल पर रख दी जाएगी।

Resolving the Maharashtra-Karnataka Border Dispute

6220. DR. BAPU KALDATE: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have received any request from the Government of Maharashtra for holding opinion poll in the border areas for resolving the Maharashtra-Karnataka border dispute, which is pending for the last more than 35 years;

(b) if so, what are the details of the proposals and Government's reaction in regard thereto; and

(c) by when this dispute is proposed to be resolved?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI P. M. SAYEED): (a) and (b) Yes, Sir. The Government of Maharashtra had requested the Government to hold an opinion poll in the disputed areas on the lines of the one held in the erstwhile Union Territory of Goa, Daman & Diu.

(c) The Government of India is of the view that the dispute is to be resolved primarily by the two State Government concerned through discussions and mutual accommodation, and it would be glad to extend necessary assistance to the two States in this regard.

Special Cells for Monitoring Terrorist Activities

6221. SHRI GUNDAPPA KORWAR: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether all the State Governments have been advised to constitute dedicated counter militancy groups for monitoring action against terrorists;

(b) if so, whether the Union Government have also decided to set up a separate group to monitor action against terrorists;

(c) whether the Union Government have also agreed to support and assist the states in this regard; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI RAJESH PILOT): (a) to (d) Yes, Sir. The States have been advised to constitute a Group/Task Force to collate intelligence from both the State Government as well as the Central Government agencies, analyse it and carry out operations in coordination with neighbouring States and concerned agencies of the Government of India. A Special Cell has already been constituted in the Ministry of Home Affairs under the Special secretary (Internal Security). The State Task Forces/Cells would regularly interact with the Central Cell in an institutionalised manner. The Central Government is rendering all possible assistance to the affected States in the form of deployment of additional para-military forces, provision of training facilities, provision of modern weaponary and grants for modernisation of the State police forces.

Implementation of Rajiv-Longowal Accord

6222. SHRI RAMDAS AGARWAL: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Prime Minister, during his recent visit to Punjab, promised to implement the Rajiv-Longowal Accord, including water and territorial disputes, to the satisfaction of both the States of Punjab and Haryana;

(b) whether Government propose to call/talk to all the parties concerned to sort out the issues involved; if so, when;

(c) whether Government also propose to waive off loans spent by Punjab during the past few years on security and fighting terrorism in the State; and

(d) if so, what is the total amount involved in this regard and how much payment has already been made to the Central Government and what is left out amount to be waived off?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI RAJESH PILOT): (a) to (b) During his recent visit to Punjab, the Prime Minister stated that he had initiated discussion with the Chief Ministers of Punjab and Haryana to resolve the long-standing disputes of the Rajiv-Longowal Accord and that he would involve other parties also in resolving these disputes. Sincere efforts are continuing in this direction to find amicable solution to the outstanding issues of the Rajiv-Longowal Accord in consultation with the concerned parties.